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TAKING A LAST LOOK

Thousands of People View Sherman's Remains.

GRAND TESTIMONIAL OF RESPECT

The coffin sealed and will only be opened once more to let the Rev. Thomas Sherman see his father. Arrangements for the funeral at Columbus, Ohio, will be completed.

New York, Feb. 19.—Thousands of people took a last look at the face of the Nation's dead general. It was one of the grandest testimonials of respect and love that could be paid to anyone. At 6 o'clock in the evening the family and other members of the household assembled in the parlor and took their final gaze at the face of their father, brother and friend. Then the casket was sealed and will be opened again only to let the Rev. Thomas Sherman look upon his father's features as he arrives here in time.

The arrangements for the family and immediate friends were completed last night. They with the invited officials, will occupy fifty-one carriages, and will ride in the funeral procession behind the pallbearers and ahead of the president. During the evening, Mr. B. Hayes accepted the invitation of the family to accompany the remains to St. Louis.

At 10 o'clock last night Mr. T. P. Sherman received a dispatch saying that the steamer Maestri had been sighted and would reach quarantine station at 11 o'clock. Arrangements have been made to take off the Rev. Tom Sherman, and will reach the house in a few hours.

Instructions were issued to the police captains yesterday as to their duties during the funeral. Twelve hundred policemen were to be stationed along the line of march. The police escort will consist of five hundred mounted policemen.

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FLOOD NEWS

The Danger Believed to Be Passed at Pittsburgh—Elsewhere.

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 19.—The worst of the flood at this point is now over and all danger passed. Both rivers are falling fast. The signal service reports the highest stage of water at thirty-two feet at 10 o'clock yesterday, or within about two feet of the highest water mark of 1884.

The direct damage done by the flood in the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny is estimated at from \$1,500,000 to \$2,000,000. The railroads and mills being the heaviest sufferers.

An Area of Three Miles Submerged.

WILKESBORO, W. Va., Feb. 19.—The sun yesterday morning rose on a devastating expanse of water, but which did comparatively little damage, as recent floods have shown. Watering citizens the necessity of making preparations for high water. The island was a most entirely covered, and caused citizens to move their effects into the second stories of their houses, while they sought refuge elsewhere.

The water crept into the business houses on Water and Main streets. Nearly the whole lower portion of the city was badly flooded by Logans Run and Caldwell Run backing up, and an area of about three miles was covered with water, reaching to the second stories of houses. River is still rising, but it is growing cooler.

At Williamsport.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Feb. 19.—The Susquehanna river is a little over twenty-one feet, and will probably not rise more than a foot higher. The weather is colder and the rain has ceased. The tracks of the Reading and Lehigh railroads in this city are under water for some distance. A number of logs went down the stream during the night, but the loss will not be heavy. The danger is believed to have passed.

At Lock Haven.

LOCK HAVEN, Pa., Feb. 19.—A portion of this city is overflowed yesterday, as the result of a flood in the creek which is within two feet of being as high as in June, 1889. The business part of the town was not flooded. The river commenced falling at noon yesterday, having reached the twelve feet mark without doing any damage here.

Concerning the at Cambridge.

CAMBRIDGE, Ky., Feb. 19.—The Big Sandy and Ohio rivers are both creating havoc here. Two houses were washed from their foundations yesterday morning, and a large slice of Front street is gone. The people are fleeing from their homes along the rivers in terror.

At Greenville.

GREENVILLE, O., Feb. 19.—River 42 feet 6 inches and rising slowly. This is within five and a half feet of the great rise of '81. The belief is that unless another rain occurs the water has about reached its highest point.

At Belaire.

BELAIRE, O., Feb. 19.—The lower part of the city is under water. All railroad and telephone connection is cut off. No lives lost, but there have been many narrow escapes.

HORRIBLE DISCOVERY

A Missing Man's Body Found Three Months After Death.

ALTOONA, Pa., Feb. 19.—Yesterday morning Thomas Styles, a wood-chopper, made a horrible discovery on the mountain side along the "Kettle" road. Near Altoona, the victim being George Collier, a well known citizen of this place. Some time Collier fell upon an axe and a severe gasp across his right arm. The wound resulted in lockjaw, but the case was being successfully treated at the Altoona hospital.

Later his mind, however, became affected and he wandered away from that institution. Collier was employed at the time of the accident on a logging contract and when he left the hospital he returned to his labor. For the past three months he has been missing and nothing was known concerning his whereabouts until yesterday.

The body was identified as that of Collier from papers found upon his person. The slight was sickening in the extreme, his face, neck, hands and other portions of his body having been eaten away by wild beasts. He came to his death by freezing.

A MURDEROUS MOTHER

She Flies When Arsenic is Found in Her Dead Boy's Stomach.

NAPLES, O., Feb. 19.—J. Hoffman, of Pleasant township, accused his wife of poisoning his 16-year old son because she applied for a divorce. To prove his assertions, he had the stomach taken from the exhumed body and examined by experts, who found four and one-half ounces of arsenic therein. The woman, on being apprised of the result, fled to parts unknown. Great excitement prevails, and the woman will doubtless be lynched if found.

Has Kake Been Elected?

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 19.—The question has been raised over the legality of Kake's election to the United States senate. The claim is made that constitutional requirement provides that the majority of all the members of the legislature is necessary, which would necessitate Kake receiving 55 votes, whereas he only received 52.

More Pay and Shorter Hours Refused

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 19.—The Pennsylvania company has refused to grant the demands of employees for increased pay and shorter hours. What line of action the men will adopt will be determined at a meeting to be held in a few days.

Powderly Cancels His Engagements

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 19.—Mr. Powderly has left for Scranton, Pa., having cancelled his western engagements.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Dispatches Detailing Important Happenings.

PROCEEDINGS OF CONGRESS.

The Senate Passes the Copyright Bill After Several Amendments Are Made. A Number of Pension Bills Acted On. Appropriation Bills Considered in the House—Other News from the National Capitol.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—In the senate yesterday a number of pension bills were passed, including the house bill to increase the pension of the widow of Gen. Custer to \$100 per month.

The copyright bill was considered, and the Sherman amendment to admit copyrighted books, etc., printed in foreign countries on payment of tariff duties was agreed to; as was also an amendment by Mr. Frye, requiring maps, engravings, cuts, prints, photographs, chronicles or lithographs, to be printed from plates executed in the United States, and an amendment by Mr. Ingalls, exempting newspapers and periodicals from prohibition of importation. The bill was then passed—yeas 36, nays 14.

The senate bill for the erection of a new customs house in New York city was discussed. The bill providing for the payment of claims arising from Indian depredations was then taken up and discussed until 6 p. m., when a recess was taken till 8 o'clock next day.

The next session did not promise much success, as there were but fifteen senators in the chamber—twelve Republicans and three Democrats. The first thing that took place was the reading of the report of the sergeant-at-arms, who had been directed to request the attendance of absent senators. His report was to the effect that he had called upon all of them who were in the city. It was entirely unsatisfactory to Mr. Edmunds, inasmuch as it gave no names, and it was returned to that official.

In the course of the next half hour, during which period all business was suspended, various other senators arrived, until finally there were about thirty-five present. Then a supplementary report was made by the sergeant-at-arms, naming the senators on whom he had called, those who had reported themselves sick and those who were absent from the city.

A vote on a motion to adjourn showed the presence of thirty-eight senators. At 9 o'clock there was no progress being made toward business; but there was a dispute going on as to what the record should show in regard to the senators who were absent.

At half past 9 the senate adjourned on motion of Mr. Edmunds, who said it had been demonstrated, after waiting an hour and a half, that a majority of the senate did not want to transact business. In the house Mr. Payson, of Illinois, was elected speaker pro tem in the absence of the speaker who is detained by illness. Mr. Payson, however, was ordered on the floor of Columbia and military appropriation bills, after which the Indian appropriation bill was considered and passed, and the postoffice appropriation bill carried into committee of the whole, but without disposing of it the house adjourned.

INDIANS TO BE INVESTIGATED.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Mr. Blanchard yesterday offered a resolution in the house providing that a committee consisting of six members—elect of the house of representatives of the Fifty-second congress be appointed by Speaker Reed, and one person to be designated by the senate, to investigate the condition of the Indian tribes of the United States with a view to recommending such changes in the Indian policy of this government and in legislation concerning it as may be necessary to the amelioration of the condition of the Indians and towards promoting their civilization.

The committee is to have power to appoint sub-committees to visit the Indians.

NOTIONS TO BE DEPRIVED OF FIREARMS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Mr. Clifford of North Dakota, today reported from the committee on Indian affairs the bill to prevent the sale of firearms and ammunition to Indians. The report accompanying the bill, says the committee finds upon examination that it is the uniform practice of the dealers and traders along the borders of Indian reservations to sell firearms to Indians in the manner the Indians are supplied with arms of the latest and most improved pattern. The report says the committee believes, in view of the late trouble with the Indians as well as on account of the troubles of previous years, that stringent laws upon the subject are required, and it therefore recommends the passage of the bill.

SENATE TO ELECT A NEW FINANCIAL OFFICER.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—A caucus of Republican senators will be held next week to determine on a candidate to succeed Senator Ingalls as president pro tempore of the senate. Mr. Ingalls' term in the senate will expire on March 1, and it is proposed according to custom to install his successor as president pro tempore before the end of the session in order to provide against any difficulty that might arise if Vice President Morgan should be unable to preside. The names most prominently mentioned for the honor are those of Senator Edmunds and Sherman, both of whom have held the office with Senators Frye and Aldrich as predecessors.

ONE MORE WEEK'S TIME.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—No confirmation of the rumor that Gen. Sewell, of New Jersey, will be appointed secretary of the treasury, can be had at the executive mansion. It is well known that Gen. Sewell enjoys intimate personal relations with President Harrison. The time in which the president has to appoint a secretary of the treasury does not expire until Feb. 27.

OHIO LEGISLATURE.

The Day's Transactions of the Senate and House.

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BUILDING STATISTICS.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 19.—Dwellings, stores and warehouses, stables and barns, churches and school houses and all other buildings erected in the several counties of Ohio for the fiscal year ended April 12, 1890, are as follows:

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Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

husmen with serious intent. Jealousy was the cause. Neither is badly injured, but Williams has a chance for a free ride to the penitentiary.

Embarras Arrested.

LIMA, O., Feb. 19.—Last night Sheriff Gillan arrested C. W. Sullivan at Ada, O., and took him to Portland, Ind., on a requisition. Sullivan is charged with embezzling \$500 from the Singer Sewing Machine company while he was their agent.

Burglar Shot.

BELLAIRE, O., Feb. 19.—Yesterday Chief of Police D. C. Sheppard shot Alexander Adams five times in the body while the latter was attempting the robbery of Apple Dr. these general merchandise store. Adams died at noon.

Indiana Seeks Satisfaction.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—The Sioux Indians who have been to Washington reached this city Tuesday night on their way back to Pine Ridge. They are not all satisfied. Young Man-Afraid-of-His-Horses said to a reporter: "We had some promises, but they are like all other promises of the Great Father. We are not fooled and we are not with heavy hearts. We wanted Gen. Miles there, but he did not come. We shall tell our people that we have got more promises. Then they will laugh at us and call us old men."

The President's Telegrams for Foster.

FOSTORIA, O., Feb. 19.—Ex-Governor Foster, who is mentioned as the probable successor of the late Secretary Windom, was yesterday called to New York by a telegram from President Harrison. Foster left for the east last night.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRE.

Items of Interest Put in Conventional Form to Readers.

Georgia will erect a negro college as a branch of the state university.

A bill to give women the right to vote was defeated in the house of the Kansas legislature.

Mrs. John Henry and her four young children were suffocated in a burning building in New York city.

Fire destroyed the Enterprise Manufacturing company, Akron, O. Loss, \$20,000. Miss Nellie Cruise was fatally burned.

Mrs. Mary O'Mara and Mrs. Cadley, of Lima, O., who whipped Mrs. Childs, on suspicion of having sent them ugly valentines, were fined \$10 and costs each.

Mrs. Eva Keys has been arrested in Cincinnati at the instance of the authorities of Boone county, Ky., who want her to answer the charge of participation in the slanty boat murder.

Five of the largest breweries of Chicago have joined the Blue Ribbon brewery of Milwaukee in the Milwaukee and Chicago brewers' company, with a share capital stock of \$7,500,000 and \$1,000,000 in five per cent. bonds.

THE MARKETS.

Review of the Grain and Cattle Markets for February 18.

Cincinnati.

WHEAT—55¢ @ \$1.01.

COY.—52¢ @ \$1.01.

YORK—51¢ @ \$1.01.

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